

Mount McKinley Patrol Cabins
Igloo Creek Cabin #25
Denali National Park & Preserve
McKinley Station
Alaska

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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE ALASKA	COUNTY	TOWN OR VICINITY MCKINLEY STATION
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) Mount McKinley Patrol Cabins(National Park Service files)		HABS NO. AK-32 A
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE Igloo Creek Cabin #25		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES)UTMs: 06.371970.7055920 Near Igloo Creek at Mile 34.1 and less than 50' north of park road; Denali National Park & Preserve		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) 1928 (NPS files)	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE)	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Third cabin built by the Alaska Road Commission on the park road. It was the site of a summer construction camp used for storage of supplies. Soon after, it became part of the network of cabins used for winter patrol stopovers. This cabin replaced a more primitive cabin built on Igloo Creek by "California mountain men" See HABS AK-32		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) Rustic		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) logs		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) rectangle; 14' x 16' interior, one story; 12" x 12" timber foundation		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE removable wood window and door shutters; outhouse approximately 50 yards west		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED)		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES Repair of fire damage to interior, 1952; shake roof, 1979; restoration, 1985...involved installing new 12" x 12" timber foundation, in kind replacement of bottom three rounds of logs and flooring and repair of north roof eaves		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Patrol cabin; rehabilitated		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) NPS files; NRHP (draft); See Bibliography and references HABS AK-32		
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